FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 12, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 3029 - HB 3107**

This bill, if enacted, will provide that the Department of Correction and the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation investigate allegations of felonious conduct by employees or officials of county or privately operated correctional facilities against state prisoners. Contracts for the housing of state prisoners shall require that the Department of Correction retain ability to investigate such allegations.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures for additional staff time and resources to assure compliance with these provisions. The amount of such increase cannot be determined but is estimated to exceed \$100,000.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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